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Attorney Docket No. 16869S029800

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Title STORAGE-RELATED ACCOUNTING SYSTEM AND METHOD OF  
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning design patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 31]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 15]
- Oath or Declaration/Power of Atty [Total Pages 4]
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  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10.  37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)
11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
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13.  Preliminary Amendment
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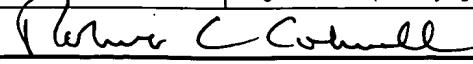
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